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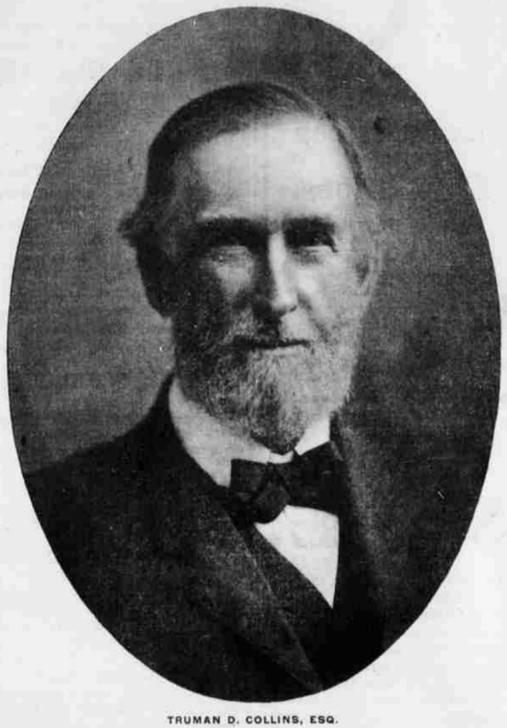
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Fourth Monday of February.
 Third Monday of May.
 Fourth Monday of September.
 Third Monday of November.

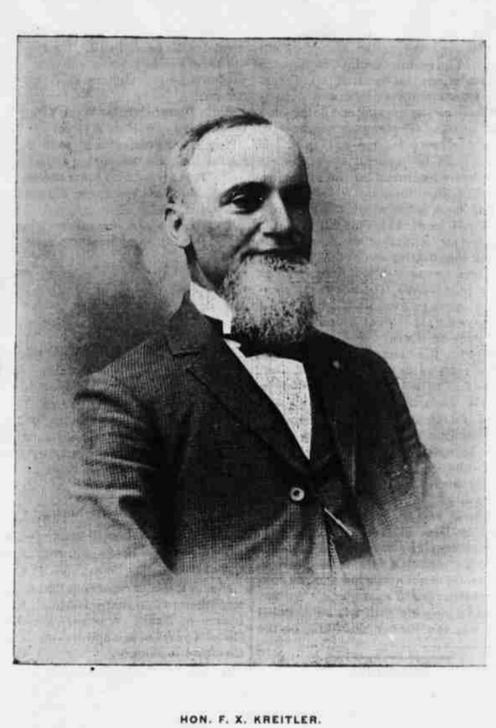
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Church and Sabbath School.

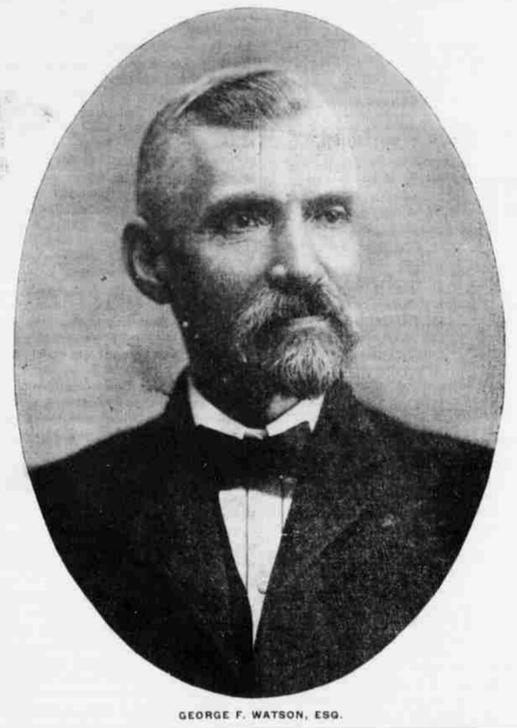
Presbyterian Sabbath School at 9:45 a. m.; M. E. Sabbath School at 10:30 a. m. Preaching in M. E. Church every Sabbath evening by Rev. W. O. Calhoun. Preaching in the F. M. Church every Sabbath evening at the usual hour. Rev. E. L. Monroe, Pastor.
 Preaching in the Presbyterian church every Sabbath at 11:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Rev. H. A. Bailey, Pastor.
 The regular meetings of the W. C. T. U. are held at the headquarters on the second and fourth Tuesdays of each month.



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TIONESTA'S NEW METHO-DIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Laying of the Corner Stone to Take Place on August 26th, 1908.—Brief History of the Church.—Official Program of Exercises.

Wednesday, August 26, 1908, will be a red-letter day for the Methodist Episcopal Church in Tionesta, this being the date selected for laying the corner stone of the new church. The first church edifice was commenced in 1830, but was not completed until 1835. Thirty-six years later the present brick building was dedicated and now after it has been in use for thirty-seven years the corner stone of the third edifice will be laid. As is well known this will be a Memorial Church built jointly by T. D. Collins, F. X. Kreitler and G. F. Watson. In an early day this society was very feeble and was united with a large number of other appointments, into a circuit that covered miles of the, then, sparsely settled country. One of the first ordained Methodist ministers to visit Tionesta, was Rev. R. R. Robbarts, who was afterward elected a bishop. In 1806 he was appointed by the Baltimore Conference to Erie Circuit, this charge covered so large a territory that it required six weeks to go around it preaching once each day and twice on Sunday, he traveled up the Allegheny river as far as the State line and undoubtedly preached at the Valentine house at Jamieson Flats. The pastors of the Erie Circuit continued to visit this locality until 1821, a class having been formed near Stewart's Run as early as 1804. In 1821 Tionesta was one of the appointments of French Creek Circuit, and the same year, a log church was built on the farm of James Dawson near Stewart's Run. In 1829 when the lot, on which the present church stands, was purchased, the pastors of French Creek Circuit were Hiram Kinsey and William P. Babcock. Since then the following have been appointed as pastors of the church, some of whom, however, only preached here occasionally, as there was a time when the first church was in such a dilapidated condition that it could not be used for service:

- LIST OF PASTORS FROM 1830 TO 1908.**
- 1830—Wm. Babcock and John Robinson.
 - 1831—Samuel Ayers.
 - 1832—Job Wilson and J. Hitchcock.
 - 1833—Rome B. Gardner and Abab Keller.
 - 1834—S. W. Ingraham.
 - 1835—Lewis Janney.
 - 1836—J. E. Chapin and Lewis Janney.
 - 1837—R. Parker and T. D. Blinn.
 - 1838—H. Elliott and L. B. Beech.
 - 1839—Wm. Patterson and G. C. Baker.
 - 1840—S. Smith.
 - 1841—J. Leach.
 - 1842—H. Lane and A. L. Miller.
 - 1843—E. Hall and Alvah Wilder.
 - 1844—J. W. Davis and J. Wriggellworth.
 - 1845—'46 '47—John Abbott.
 - 1848—J. Whipple.
 - 1849—'50—T. G. McCrary.
 - 1851—'52—Fauntly Muse.
 - 1853—'54—M. Wood.
 - 1855—J. Gillilan, B. F. Delo, Clarion, Pa.
 - 1856—E. Hall and J. Gilmore.
 - 1857—M. Colegrove and F. W. Smith.
 - 1858—G. F. Reeser and A. Helght.
 - 1859—'60—David Eason, of Punxsutawney, Pa.
 - 1861—N. W. Jones.
 - 1862—'63, '64—R. B. Roberts.
 - 1865—J. K. Shaffer.
 - 1866—A. N. Craft.
 - 1867—E. D. McCreary.
 - 1868—A. J. Merchaunt.
 - 1869—R. F. Keeler, of Middlefield, Ohio.
 - J. P. Hicks, of Glenhazel, Pa.
 - 1870, '71—S. S. Barton.
 - 1872—G. F. Reeser.
 - 1873, '74—John Lusher, Mt. Jewett, Pa.
 - 1875—Alvah Wilder.
 - 1876, '77—W. O. Allen, now living in Iowa.
 - 1878, '79—A. O. Stone, of Harrisburg, Pa.
 - 1880—J. E. Hill.
 - 1881, '82, '83—J. P. Hicks, of Glenhazel, Pa.
 - 1884, '85, '86—F. M. Small, of Ferdinand, Pa.
 - 1887, '88, '89, '90, '91—C. C. Rumberger.
 - 1892, '93—J. R. Rankin, of Jamestown.
 - 1894, '95—W. W. Dale, Milwaukee, Wis.
 - 1896, '97, '98—R. A. Buzza, Meadville, Pa.
 - 1899—C. C. Rumberger.
 - 1900—W. P. Murray, of Erie Pa.
 - 1901, '02, '03—O. H. Nickle, Warren, Pa.
 - 1904, '05, '06, '07—W. O. Calhoun, Tionesta, Pa.

OFFICIAL PROGRAM OF EXERCISES.

On next Sunday evening, if possible, one of the former pastors will be secured to preach. Monday evening at 7:45 Rev. R. A. Buzza, of Meadville, will preach. Tuesday evening at 7:45 there will be a platform meeting with addresses from former pastors and visiting clergymen. Wednesday at 2 p. m., the Corner Stone will be laid with the Ritualistic Services of the Methodist Episcopal Church, after which the audience will proceed to the Church, where the addresses will be given. It is expected that a number of prominent ministers will participate in these services, and a most cordial invitation is extended to all to attend these services. There will be placed in the corner stone a Bible, hymn book, discipline of the church, copies of the Christian Advocate, Forest Republican and Democratic Vindicator, photographs of F. X. Kreitler, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Collins, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Watson, the pastor, Rev. W. O. Calhoun and wife, also photographs of some of the former pastors, a history of the church, list of members and the present official board and the names of the contractors and builders of the church.



REV. W. O. CALHOUN

Monday.

Judge Taft at Hot Springs received many letters urging the renomination of Governor Hughes.

Scores of persons were shot down in the streets of Springfield, Ill., by soldiers in dispersing a mob bent on lynching negroes.

Captain Peter C. Hains, Jr., killed William E. Annis, magazine writer, in the presence of hundreds of persons at the Bayside Yacht club.

Tuesday.

The Atlantic battleship fleet left New Zealand behind and headed for Sydney, Australia.

Constantinople advices state that the newly appointed minister of war, Redjap Pacha, has died of heart disease.

War department officials prepared for a test of the Wright brothers' aeroplane, the next device to be tried out at Fort Myer.

SHERMAN IS NOTIFIED.

Official Confirmation of National Republican Ticket.

Mr. Sherman in Accepting the Nomination Briefly Outlined His Adherence to the Republican Platform The People Shall and Do and Have Always Ruled—Mr. Bryan's Question Declared to Be No Issue—Is a Protectionist—Favors Revision.

Utica, Aug. 18.—The civic festivities in connection with the notification of Utica's honored citizen, Congressman James S. Sherman, of his nomination for vice president began at 7 this morning with a salute of 19 guns. At 11 o'clock the notification committee escorted by the Conkling Unconditionals, a noted marching club, proceeded behind a massed band of 111 pieces to the home of Mr. Sherman of Genesee street.

From a platform on the Sherman grounds Senator Julius C. Burrows of Michigan, who was temporary chair man of the national convention, addressed Mr. Sherman, and the latter responded accepting the nomination.

Speeches were also made by Secretary of State Root, Mayor Wheeler Charles S. Symonds, chairman of the citizens' reception committee, and President M. W. Stryker of Hamilton College. These and invited guests, in addition to the Conkling Unconditionals, were entertained at luncheon following the ceremonies.

Many Outdoor Attractions.

The day had been largely made a holiday and an attractive program of games and races had been arranged for the afternoon, including a balloon ascension and music in the parks by four bands from Utica, Rochester Troy and Albany.

At 6 o'clock Mr. Sherman will give a dinner to the notification committee and invited guests at the Yahnun dask club house. At 7:30 band concerts, an electrical display, fancy drill by the Conkling Unconditionals and fireworks will add to the scenes of gaiety.

Mr. Sherman's Speech.

Senator Burrows and Gentlemen of the Notification Committee:

Your chairman has notified me of my nomination by the Republican national convention held in Chicago in June as the party's candidate for vice president. As I chanced to be in Chicago in June I had an inkling of the convention's action, which was confirmed by a warm-hearted reception tendered me by my neighbors on the occasion of my homecoming of July 2.

This official notification, however, is welcome, and the nomination you tender me is accepted—accepted with gratitude commensurate with the great honor conferred; accepted with a full appreciation of the obligation which accompany that honor, an honor greater because my name is linked with that of William H. Taft, whom respect and esteem highly and who approaches the high office of president exceptionally well equipped to discharge the duties and bear the varied and weighty responsibilities of that exalted position.

In Full Accord With the Platform.

My acceptance could not be made with honor unless I were in full accord with the declaration of principles adopted by the convention. Not only am I in full and complete accord with my party's platform, but I endorse every word of the statement made by Mr. Taft in his address of acceptance when notified of his nomination as the Republican candidate for president.

That speech fully and comprehensively discusses the issues of this campaign as presented by the platform of the two great parties, so that

It is appropriate that my statement should be short. Those not convinced by the presentation of Mr. Taft I could not hope to persuade. It is however, in conformity with custom that I refer at least briefly to some of the important issues of the campaign.

First, then, let me say that I am a protectionist. I am sufficiently practical to value the utility of a fact higher than the beauty of a theory, and I am a protectionist because experience has demonstrated that the application of that principle has lifted us as a nation to a plane of prosperity above that occupied by any other people.

Early Revision of Tariff Schedules.

I especially commend that plank of our platform which promises an early revision of tariff schedules. That pledge will be fulfilled in an adjustment based in every particular upon the broad principles of protection for all American interests, alike for labor for capital, for producers and consumers. The Dingley bill when enacted was well adapted to the then existing conditions. The developments of industrial prosperity in a decade, which in volume and degree have surpassed our most rosy expectations, have so altered conditions that in certain details of schedules they no longer fit every particular mete out justice to all. In this readjustment the principle of protection must and will govern.

The Republican party believes in the equality of all men before the law; he leaves in granting labor's every request that does not seek to accord rights to one man denied to another. Fair minded labor asks no more, no less, and approves the record of the Republican party because of that party's acts.

I have helped to make my party's record in the enactment of the eight-hour law, the employers' liability act, the statutes to minimize the hazard of railroad employes, the child labor law for the District of Columbia and other enactments designed especially to improve the conditions of labor. I cannot hope to better state my position on injunctions than by a specific endorsement of Mr. Taft's Cincinnati declaration on that subject. That endorsement I make.

As a nation our duty compels that by every constitutional and reasonable means the material and educational condition of the colored race be advanced. This we owe ourselves as well as to them. As the result of a course of events that can never be reversed, they are a part of our civilization; their prosperity is our prosperity; their debasement would be our misfortune. The Republican party, therefore, will offer every encouragement to the thrift, industry and intelligence that will better their prospect of higher attainment.

Protection of American Interests.

I believe in the maintenance of such an army, the upbuilding of such a navy as will be the guarantee of the protection of American citizens and American interests everywhere, and an ocean of peace; that at every exposed point we may be so fortified that no power on earth may be tempted to molest us. I believe in the restoration of the American merchant marine and in rendering whatever financial aid may be necessary to accomplish this purpose.

I approve the movement for the conservation of our natural resources, the fostering of friendly foreign relations, the enforcement of our civil service law and the enactment of such statutes as will more securely and more effectively preserve the public health.

Our platform, as it should do, pledges adherence to the policies of President Roosevelt; promises to continue the work inaugurated during his administration, to insure to persons and property every proper safeguard, and all necessary strengthening of administrative methods will be provided to furnish efficient inspection and supervision and prompt righting of every injustice, discrimination and wrong.

I have not touched upon every plank of our splendid platform, but I reiterate my full and unqualified approval of its every promise.

5 DEAD IN RACE RIOT.

4,200 National Guardsmen on Duty in Springfield.

Dead by Insurance Figuring—Alleged American-Chinese Alliance—Death of Ira D. Sankey—Great Britain Will Not Intervene—Mr. Bailey Cannot Accept—Withdrawn Bryan Resolution

Two deaths on Sunday at Springfield, Ill., from injuries suffered in previous mob fights, making five deaths due to race riots, the attempted cutting of the fire alarm wires, the ex-emption of Private J. B. Klein, Co. A, First Illinois Infantry, by a court of inquiry for the killing of Earl Nelson at Kankakee Saturday, and the pursuit of a mob by guardsmen, were the chief developments in the race war in Springfield.

The attempt to cut the fire and telephone wires leading into the City hall was not successful. A policeman saw three men on top of an outbuilding trying to reach the lines overhead. An alarm brought a wagon load of soldiers and the wire cutters fled, leaving their nippers behind.

Scores of negroes have left Springfield, either on foot or by trolley cars, the latter class riding as far as their means permitted and then striking across country. These tramping parties, aimless and penniless, are the source of some complaint from the communities through which they pass.

Most of the refugees are advanced in years. The younger negroes, who might be expected to add fuel to the smoldering flames by rash acts, thus far have generally refused to become wards of the state.

With the arrival of the Second and the Seventh infantry regiments, I. N. G., and two squadrons of the First cavalry, all from Chicago, the entire National Guard of Illinois, with the exception of the Sixth infantry and the Eighth infantry (colored), is on duty in Springfield. In all 4,200 guardsmen are in the city.

Governor Deneen said that he wanted to protect the city so that the fleeing negroes could return in safety.

"We can protect them here, and we can't when they scatter about the country," said the governor. "If they will come back we will give them food and shelter in government tents."

Is Shelter by Insurance Figuring.

It is a shock for one to be told he is dead, as is proved in the case of General Daniel H. Rucker, a retired army officer, the father of Mrs. Phil Sheridan. At the age of 96, still enjoying more health and vigor than most men half his age, the distinguished general has been officially informed by a life insurance company that he is dead. The policy which he has for years been carrying in the company has been annulled and the insurance has been paid.

The insurance company, like other American concerns of the kind, bases its operations upon mortality tables. Under this system all lives are supposed to have ended before the age of 96 is reached. The company therefore wrote General Rucker that, having reached that age, "you are supposed to have died and your policy will be settled just as though it had fallen due by reason of your demise."

General Rucker attributes his longevity to "the grace of God and a good constitution." Until he reached the seventies he did not object to a little tobacco now and then, neither was he a teetotaler. His mother lived to be 80, but his father died younger, and his grandfather died when comparatively young. General Rucker was born in New Jersey, April 28, 1812, and entered the army in 1837, being retired in 1882 with rank of brigadier and brevet major general. He made a distinguished record during the civil war.

Grant's Cousin in Poverty.

Cincinnati, Aug. 18.—James Grant, aged 77, a cousin of General U. S. Grant, was taken to the Cincinnati hospital as a charity patient. The old man's principal ailment is old age. He has for a long time occupied a tumble-down shanty at Manhattan Beach, a suburb on the Ohio river, and gained a meager living doing odd jobs in the neighborhood.

Fruit Keeps Nineteen Years.

Saltzburg, Pa., Aug. 18.—Mrs. Samuel L. Graham today served at dinner a can of peaches put up in 1889. The fruit was in perfect condition.

Utica Dairy Market.

Utica, Aug. 17.—On the Utica Dairy Board of Trade today sales of cheese were as follows:

Color	Lots	Boxes	Pr.
Large white	1	41	11 1/2
Large white	4	250	11 1/2
Large colored	9	512	11 1/2
Large colored	8	460	11 1/2
Small white	4	397	11 1/2
Small colored	43	3,131	11 1/2
Totals	71	6,511	—

No butter offered.

BUSINESS DIRECTORY.

TIONESTA LODGE, No. 366, L. O. O. F.
 Meets every Tuesday evening in Odd Fellows' Hall, Partridge building.

CAPT. GEORGE STOW POST, No. 274 G. A. R. Meets 1st and 3d Monday evening in each month.

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